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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventors:

Jonathan Lewis and Andrew T. Sultenfuss

Assignee:

Dell Products L.P., Round Rock, Texas

Title:

System, Method & Device for Tuning a Switched Transmission Line for

Ethernet Local Area Network-On-Motherboard (LOM)

Enclosed are:

- X Specification w/Cover Sheet (37 Pages)
- X Drawings (3 Sheets Formal)
- X Signed combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages)
- X Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) PTO-1449 with copies of references cited (3)
- X Certificate of Mailing (1)
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- An Assignment of the invention to **Dell Products L.P.** is attached. A cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 3.28 and 3.31 is included with the Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h).

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